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SUBJ ECOSOC 55-US/USSR LUNCHEON

1. SUMMARY. OTHER TOPICS COVERED AT LUNCHEON WERE  
WIPO/UN RELATIONSHIPS; US POSITION IN COMMITTEE ON  
ECONOMIC RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF STATES; RATIFICATION OF  
CHARTER AND CONTINUED CLOSED CONSULTATIONS; AMENDMENT  
TO ENLARGE ECOSOC.

2. TOPIC WITH NESTERENKO MOST PREOCCUPIES WAS WIPO/UN  
RELATIONSHIPS. HE REITERATED SOVIET OPPOSITION TO  
SPECIALIZED AGENCY STATUS, BUT WILLINGNESS ESTABLISH  
COMMITTEE OF ECOSOC TO NEGOTIATE A CLOSER RELATIONSHIP  
WITH WIPO. HE AGAIN STRESSED NEED TO HAVE WIPO ASSEMBLY  
APPROVE NEGOTIATIONS BEFORE THEY TAKE PLACE BECAUSE HE  
POINTED OUT NO NEED TO NEGOTIATE IF WIPO ASSEMBLY DOES  
NOT ENDORSE IT. AFTER ALL 9/10 VOTE REQUIRED. USDEL  
EXPLAINED WE IN FAVOR CLOSER RELATIONSHIP AND FAVORED  
SPECIALIZED AGENCY AGREEMENT. ALTHOUGH WE WOULD SUPPORT  
CREATION NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE NOW DID NOT INSIST IT  
REPORT BACK TO THIS SESSION. NESTERENKO CONTINUED INSIST  
SPECIALIZED AGENCY STATUS NOT IN BEST INTEREST WIPO OR  
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ITS MEMBERS.

3. MAKEEV WHO NOW SERVING SIMULTANEOUSLY ON COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF STATES, SAID US MEMBERS MORE ACTIVE THAN AT FIRST MEETING. HE COMPLAINED US TOO RIGID AT TIMES AND NOT ACTING IN SPIRIT OF DETENTE, ESPECIALLY WITH RESPECT TO A STATEMENT MADE THAT MORNING BY THE US ON THE MOST FAVORED NATIONS ISSUE. MAKEEV SAID HE WOULD TAKE THIS UP DIRECTLY WITH USREP (SCHWEBEL).

4. NESTERENKO RAISED THE QUESTION OF RATIFICATION OF COUNCIL ENLARGEMENT. HE SAID THEY HAD COMPLETED RATIFICATION, NOTED THAT THE US HAD NOT, EVEN THOUGH THE US PUSHED THE MATTER AND THE USSR HAD OPPOSED IT. HE WAS STILL NOT CONVINCED IT WAS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF ECOSOC, UN OR "US" (USA DN USSR). ENLARGEMENT WAS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR POLITICAL WILL.

5. LUNCHEON ENDED WITH TOASTS FOR CONTINUED CLOSER CONSULTATION AND COOPERATION IN THE SPIRIT OF DENTENTE. HOWEVER NO MENTION WAS MADE OF BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS IN ADVANCE ANY UN MEETING. BASSIN

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